| | Evaluation of Feasibility and Initial Design of an Interim Cap for the Aerovox Nearshore Area - Status Update 01JUN2017 | | |
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| | Task | Status Update | Action Item(s) |
| 1 | Physical characterization of the nearshore area including the full width of the waterway | developing 13 E-W and N-S transects on a 50' spacing based on the 2015 bathymetric survey. | - draft figures should be available next week |
| 2 | 3D extent of DNAPL beneath the nearshore area | An annotated outline of the FSP that will cover all field components was reviewed. Discussions of section 3.1 focused on targetting DNAPL in native material only versus all shallow material. | - Jacobs to review efficacy of using dye test with the darker, surficial sediment |
| 3 | Groundwater discharge zones and discharge rates in the nearshore area | methods - limited number of congener analyses recommended - sampling to occur within a four hour time limit centered on low tide | - Jacobs awaiting scheduling of call with Brown & Caldwell - additional detail to be added to FSP - decide on the number of samples for congener analyses |
| 4 | Flux of dissolved phase contaminants | - Discussion on how the passive samplers provide an estimate of flux - clarification that congener analysis would be performed at Battelle's lab | - Dan G. will work with Battelle to schedule a "passive sampler 201" class |
| 5 | Physical characterization of the ambient sediment | - Discussion on the cost/benefit of refined deeper aquifer physical properties as input to groundwater flux estimates | - Jacobs to develop a more detailed estimate of expected costs with the proposed scope |
| 6 | Gas ebulition | Dan G. reached out to Paul Schroeder (ERDC) for follow up on field program | - Dan G. to provide input to FSP schedule |
| 7 | Wave and current energy | Battelle is scheduling field work for July to provide current data for refined hydrodynamic model development | - John L. will continue with updates |
| 8 | Ice impacts | - no work this period | |
| 9 | Construction complexity/impacts | - no work this period | - Ellen I. to work backwards from an expected June 2018 construction date to schedule contracting milestones |
| 10 | Ecological functionality of completed cap and impact on surrounding area | - no work this period | |
| 11 | Presumptive cap design starting point - Silver Lake (Pittsfield MA) | - Dave D. provided figures and link to summary report for Silver Lake cap work | - Patty W. to provide link to summary of Danny Reible's model assessing cap longevity |